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## PEACE OF SOUL IS ATTAINED THROUGH JACOB'S METHODS SAYS DR. PERSINGER

PASTOR OF CENTRAL METHODIST  
PICTURES FUGITIVE'S TERROR  
IN SUNDAY SERMON.

### CANNOT FLEE FROM THEM

ONLY REPENTANCE AND THE  
ERECTION OF AN ALTAR IN  
THE HEART WILL AVOID.

Peace of soul, according to the sermon of Dr. J. C. Persinger at the Central Methodist church last night, is attained only through such an experience as ancient Jacob had when he saw the "Jacob's ladder" and heard God's message to him through repentant ears.

Following the best traditions of the Methodist preacher of the past, Dr. Persinger made his message a personal one, and his appeal one of heart to heart, rather than of intellect to intellect.

"Will you say," said the preacher, "that I am merely saying what I am expected to say—that it is my business—my profession." Well, I say this to you—go on in the way of life then, and see for yourself if this scripture teaching is not true? Take the record of the world's history and find me the man who has overcome the world save through Christ? Tell me any safe way save the way of the cross?"

"And Jacob awoke out of his sleep and said, 'Surely the Lord is in this place and I know not.' Gen. 28:16, was the text used by Dr. Persinger. "The story of Jacob's fall, while peculiar in many respects, nevertheless is re-enacted in the lives of most men and women. Men who have ignored God and shut him out of their lives, and continue to do so, cannot but suffer the pangs of conscience in life, die in spiritual poverty and pass from life without hope. My friends, God is in this place. But it is possible that like the Jacob in our text, 'we know it not.' Men have died poor after passing over mountains of coal and iron and over mines of gold, because they did not look and find these treasures. The most tremendous teaching that Jacob learned was that he could not escape God's presence."

### Rebekah's Mistaken Idea.

Speaking of the complicity of his mother, Rebekah, in Jacob's sin in cheating his brother, Esau, out of his birth-right, the speaker said: "Bear in mind that sins are seldom committed singly or single-handed—more than one hand in the sin of Jacob. Rebekah's was the brain behind her son's false move. Many a child has been put aside from the bright and shining way and put on the way to ruin by ambitious parents, who did not know that the way to the highest society is not by the way of sin. The solid foundations are not by the slippery ways of dishonesty and a 'pull.' Jacob found this out to his sorrow and so will you if you try it. God works in his own right way, and if we run ahead of Him, or use methods, channels and practices contrary to His will we will come to grief.

"One of the most pitiable objects in the world is a fugitive from justice. He is trying to do what cannot be done—flee from his sin and from justice. He may leave the place of his wrong doing, but the wrong is constantly with him, and rises like a wall yawns like a chasm, to separate him from society. Such a one is like one having a thorn in his flesh, or as a sleeper who has a nightmare, from which he cannot awake. Neither can a fugitive get away from conscience or from God. He flees when no one pursues. His sin accuses when all voices are silent. Jacob had been guilty of a wrong, which had stirred the wrath of his brother and finally had driven him from home.

### Wrong Ambition of a Mother.

"Jacob's ambitious mother had planned and directed the deed of her son, but in so doing she had lost him who was the idol of her life.

"Jacob's journey homeward was a long and tiresome one. At night the fugitive began to cast about for a place to sleep and rest. A hillside was his selection and he had a stone for a pillow. It was a lonely supper

REV. E. L. GOODWIN



## GOODWIN CALLED TO LOCAL CHURCH

BIRMINGHAM PASTOR WILL LEAD  
THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE  
WESTSIDE PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. E. L. Goodwin, formerly pastor of the Inglenook Presbyterian church of Birmingham, yesterday, at a called meeting of its elders, held at the Y. M. C. A. building, was tendered and accepted the pastorate of the West Side Presbyterian church. His labors are to begin in his new field at once. Mr. Goodwin preached morning and evening for the West Side church yesterday and he was listened to by large and enthusiastic congregations. He also made an address at the association building at 3 o'clock p. m. on "The Opportunities of the New Year."

In this address Rev. Goodwin showed those rare qualities as a public speaker which characterized his sermons on the occasions when he held revival meetings at the West Side church some few years ago. When it became known that Mr. Goodwin was available for a new field, the membership of the West Side church, recalling his valuable services to them, made efforts through Dr. W. L. Darby, the Synodical superintendent of the Presbyterian U. S. A. church in Alabama, to secure Mr. Goodwin as pastor. The success that has attended their efforts has greatly encouraged this membership, which is going forward with the work with renewed energy.

Rev. Goodwin is a native Alabamian, but has spent much of his time out of the state engaged in the ministry of his denomination. He came from Kentucky some years ago when he accepted the pastorate of the Inglenook church at Birmingham.

When Dr. W. B. Witherspoon, who was Synodical superintendent before Dr. Darby, and was also stated clerk of the state Synod, left for Florida two years ago to accept a pastorate, Mr. Goodwin succeeded his stated clerk of the Synod, which is the highest ecclesiastical body of the U. S. Presbyterian church in Alabama.

## Electors Meet at the Capital Today

Maj. W. R. Francis and Walter Miller  
of this District Left Sunday for  
Montgomery.

The meeting of the state electoral college will be held today at Montgomery and is being attended by Maj. W. R. Francis, of Decatur, and Walter Miller, of Tusculum, the electors from the Eighth congressional district.

Major Francis, it is expected, will be chosen president of the college. He is its oldest member, and is one of the two members of the present college who were also electors four years ago. The college will cast the vote of the state unanimously for Wilson and Marshall, and in addition will elect a messenger to carry the ballot to Washington. Fred Gormely, a Montgomery newspaper man, is prominently mentioned for this honor, which carries perquisites in the way of expenses and mileage.

### EASY MONEY.

The Albany-Decatur Daily will pay 10 cents per copy for one copy each of issues of the following dates: Thursday, Dec. 12; Saturday, Dec. 2; Wednesday, Nov. 1; Friday, Oct. 27; Thursday, Oct. 19, all of 1916. The first paper sent in will be accepted.

## SUCCESSES SCORED BY THE TEUTONS ON ROUMANIAN FRONT WAR OFFICE AVERS

FORTRESS AT FOKSHANI DE-  
FENDED BY STRONG FORTIFI-  
CATIONS, FALL TO KAISER.

### MANY PRISONERS ARE TAKEN

RUSSO-ROUMANIAN TROOPS ARE  
HURLED BACK IN WESTERN  
MOLDAVIA.

(International News Service.)

Berlin, Jan. 8.—A series of brilliant victories all along the Roumanian front are reported by the German war office today. The Roumanian fortress of Fokshani, which was defended by powerful fortifications and garrisoned by heavy forces of Russians and Roumanians, has been captured by Field Marshal Von Mackensen's army. The German allies captured 3,910 prisoners, three cannon and several machine guns at Fokshani.

In western Moldavia the Russo-Roumanian troops were hurled back from their positions on the Odobeshti-Putna sectors. Further south the defenses of the Russians south of Milcovu, built in October and periodically strengthened ever since, was captured in a storm attack.

## BRITISH PREMIER WAS DOMINANT IN COUNCIL.

(International News Service.)

London, Jan. 8.—Premier Lloyd George loomed up as the dominating figure at the war council just held in Rome, says the Daily Telegraph today. All the papers are agreed in saying that it is to his initiative that the holding of the Rome conference is due.

It is understood that the discussion touched three main subjects—the military situation in the Balkans, the financial situation, the peace issue.

There is a disposition to believe the conference will result in greater harmony among all of the allied nations.

## ADMINISTRATION TO CONTINUE THE FIGHT FOR PEACE.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Jan. 8.—Regardless of the reply of the executive to the Wilson note, the administration will not diminish its efforts for peace. This now is assured, according to officials in full touch with the situation here and abroad. The administration is taking the position that as the chief neutral of the world, and as a nation whose toes have been trodden on repeatedly by both sides in the struggle, the United States has the right to make every effort toward peace. This will be done, it was insisted, whether the entente pleas were optimistic or not.

Two ministers high in the councils of the administration have already stated openly a resumption of the ruthless submarine warfare must inevitably drag the United States into the struggle abroad and it is believed that they voiced the administration's attitude. It is practically considered certain that a rejection by the entente will be followed by the inauguration of ruthless submarine warfare by Germany.

The entente reply is awaited with eager interest here, as on it hangs the whole future conduct of the United States in the peace movements.

## Colonial Club Will Hold Annual Election

Board of Governors to Be Chosen,  
and Other Business Transacted.

The membership meeting for the annual election of a board of governors, and for the transaction of other business will be held by the Colonial club, at the club rooms, on next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The meeting was postponed from last Sunday.

Carlisle Blackwell, secretary of the club, is writing the members urging them to be present at the election, promising them that they will not be detained long, as the business to come before the meeting can be transacted in a very short while.

The present board of governors is composed of Will Wyker, chairman; Claude Crawford and Chapel Cain.

# TUMULTY TELLS COMMITTEE KNOWS NOTHING OF "LEAK"

GATHERING UP WHAT THE GERMANS LEFT



English troops collecting German rifles from the battleground of St. Pierre Division after the terrific battle on the western front.

## MOTHER IS KILLED, 3 CHILDREN HURT BY UNLOADED GUN

A mother lies dead at Lacey Springs, 23 miles up the river, and three children are injured as a result of the old, old story of the "unloaded gun."

The tragedy that cost the life of Mrs. Andy Gullion occurred last week, but news of it did not reach Albany-Decatur until today when court officials received the details.

According to the advices received here, Mrs. Gullion and the three children, Pearl Gullion, Daisy Gullion and a little son of Alfred Gullion, were gathered in the front room of the Gullion home. Chester McCutcheon, the eight-year-old son of a neighbor, was playing in the front yard of the home and picked up a shell, which he thought had been exploded.

Laughingly exclaiming that he believed he would shoot, he seized a

## 8-HOUR LAW HEARD BY SUPREME COURT

ARGUMENTS IN CASE INVOLVING  
POSSIBLE RAILROAD STRIKE  
ARE BEGUN.

(International News Service.)  
Washington, Jan. 8.—With the nation once more confronted by the threat of a nation-wide strike, the supreme court today heard arguments on the constitutionality of the Adamson law.

A brilliant array of legal talent was on hand for the hearing by the highest court of the test suit.

The case before the court was brought by the receivers of the Missouri, Texas and Oklahoma railroad. The railroads agreed to sustain all other suits involving the law, pending the decision of the supreme court in the Missouri case.

Attorneys seeking to uphold the law declared it was authorized under the grant to congress of power "to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several states and with Indian tribes." They sought in the brief to establish these points:

1. The act was constitutional as "an hours of service law."
2. The act is constitutional even if only a wage law.
3. The law does not exceed the constitutional rights and powers placed on congress.
4. The law does not deprive the railroads of liberty of contract.
5. The law does not take property without due process of law.
6. The classifications of the Adamson

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## TESTIMONY CONFIRMED BY PRESIDENT HIMSELF IN PUBLIC STATEMENT

Wilson's Secretary, a Voluntary Witness, Denies  
Sensational Reports Regarding His Alleged  
Conference With Broker

## SENATE MEMBERS ARE SCORED BY LAWSON

Fisti-Cuff Narrowly Averted When Witness  
Declares Washington is Honeycombed  
With Leaks

(International News Service.)

Washington, Jan. 8.—Branding as wholly false without even the flimsiest foundation that he had advanced information on the peace note and was anxious concerned in the "leak" of this information to Wall street, Joseph Tumulty, secretary to President Wilson, declared today before the committee probing the leak, that he had no knowledge of it. He made a statement denying he had dined with a Wall street broker, whose name has been dragged into the investigation.

Thos. W. Lawson charged before the house rules committee that official Washington is "literally honey-combed with leaks."

"There are leaks in the supreme court of the United States, in congress, in the cabinet and direct from the White House," he declared. "There has been a gigantic robbery of the American people—a deliberate premeditated robbery of the American people."

A furious row in which fistcuffs seemed imminent between Representative Chipperfield and Lawson developed when Lawson charged that the committee did not want to get at the facts. Lawson arose from the witness stand shaking his fist under Chipperfield's nose, and the whole hearing was thrown into confusion.

The sergeant-at-arms finally succeeded in quieting Lawson. "Let him go just a bit further and he won't testify any more today," said Chipperfield.

During the confusion Lawson yelled, "What's the penalty here for saying what I want to. I said when I made these leak charges that I expected hell to be lambasted into me by congress. I was right. As soon as the senate opened, a leather-lunged sewer-mouthed old blatherskite—" "Mr. Chairman, Mr. Chairman, you must not talk of the senate or a member after that fashion," expostulated Congressman Foster. Mr. Lawson was called to order. The committee recessed at 12:30 until 2 o'clock, when Lawson will resume his testimony.

"I can give you the physical history of the note. The draft was received by the White House about 4 p. m. Monday. I called in Solicitor Polk and Mr. Woolsey, the chief law adviser attached to my office. I handed the note to Mr. Woolsey, instructing him to preserve the greatest secrecy, after we had discussed the methods of its dispatch. Mr. Woolsey took his confidential stenographer and prepared for the delivery

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## "Newsiest and Best Little Daily Paper I Ever Saw", Writes Albes

Pan American Union Officials Praises Local Newspaper.  
Conrad Albes Appointed to Responsible Post.

"You are to be congratulated on getting out the newsiest and best little daily paper I ever saw." This is the statement of Hon. Ed Albes, former Decatur alderman and now prominently connected with the Pan-American Union, with headquarters at Washington. Mr. Albes made the statement in a letter to W. R. Shelton, manager of the Daily.

He also wrote of the recent appointment of his son, Conrad Albes, as a clerk to the American embassy at Paris, saying in this connection:

I noted the little item the Daily had about my boy, Conrad. It may be of interest to you personally to know that he sailed with Ambassador Willard and family on Dec. 30. They go to Liverpool, thence to London for a few days; then across the English Channel to France; after a few days' stay in Paris they go by rail to Madrid. Conrad went in the capacity of private secretary to the ambassador until they reach the embassy, where he will assume his duties as clerk to that diplomatic post. He is only 20 years old, and for a youngster is certainly meeting with rather unusual experiences.

Wishing you and the Daily a prosperous New Year, I am,  
Very truly yours,  
ED ALBES.

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## ALBANY SUFFERS WHILE POLITICS FLOURISH; CHANGE THE CITY'S NAME.

The Albany-Decatur Daily may have at one time disagreed with the popular sentiment in Albany to change the name of the city from New Decatur to Albany. That step was taken by the citizens at a regularly called and in every way legal election, the majority being about three to one and the Daily has bowed to the wish of the people.

The Daily may also have opposed the nomination of Judge Edward B. Almon to congress, but he was nominated and as the democratic candidate he had the active support of this paper. When he was nominated the Daily also conceded to him the ancient privilege of handling the federal patronage in this district.

The change of the name of the city by the postoffice department would entail the naming of another postmaster for the full term of four years, so we are informed by the postoffice department. The Daily endorsed for this position the applicant who has subsequently had the endorsement of the congressman. The name of New Decatur was changed by the city council shortly after the change-of-name election—almost four months ago—and still the postal authorities at Washington have taken no action toward either changing the name of the office here or naming the new postmaster.

A situation has thus arisen here that is probably without parallel in the history of American municipalities. The city's name was changed months ago, but the name of the postoffice remains the same as it has been for the past quarter of a century. Thus one of the largest and liveliest of North Alabama's cities is held back and its progress checked because of the failure of the postal department to act. Its new Board of Commerce is absolutely throttled in all the work it would do to advertise the new name of the city. The situation is making the city the butt of jokes from all parts of the South.

Not only is this true, but thousands of pieces of mail are being misdirected or delayed because they are addressed to Albany, Ala., instead of New Decatur. The situation is proving the most serious the citizens of Albany have ever had to deal with. Moreover, money orders made payable to Albany, Ala., the name of this city, are not payable at all because there is no Albany, Ala., in the postal guide. This causes endless trouble.

The situation should be relieved in some manner. Congressman Almon holds the key to the situation and the Daily would not advise him to back down in any particular. The applicant who has been endorsed by him holds the democratic nomination for the appointment by virtue of the long precedent of the party and it would be manifestly improper for him to make any move. The term of the incumbent has almost expired, and he has himself written the postal authorities asking that the change be made effective at once. His patriotic request relieves even his friends from any obligation they might feel to work for delay. It removes the possibility that even a slight injustice might be done him. The name of the postoffice is to be changed eventually. As the Albany Advertiser remarks: "They know what they are going to do, so why delay it?"

The Alabama delegation in the senate and house has consistently stood by the president and the democratic administration. The democrats of Alabama now expect the national administration to stand by them and their representatives in congress. The Daily along with the other 18 democratic papers in the Eighth district that endorsed the candidacy of Mr. Alexander for postmaster now calls on the postmaster general to clear away the red tape and make the appointment in line with the recommendation of the congressman.

**MORGAN COUNTY DOG LAW.**  
One feature of the Morgan county dog law that will appeal with force to the public is the provision for the free treatment at the Pasteur Institute at Montgomery of persons bitten by rabid dogs, the cost of the treatment being assessed against the funds collected as dog tax. Possibly no other dog law ever showed such commendable foresight in the protection of the victims of hydrophobia.

This provision of the statute is both wise and just. If man's faithful friend is to remain with us, and is to be allowed the privilege of running mad, then he should also be burdened with the cost of curing the subjects of his attacks. Hydrophobia is one of the most terrible diseases in the category, and it is far better that dog owners should pay a small tax for keeping a canine, than that human beings should be exposed to the sufferings of this frightful malady without adequate treatment.

## BACKING UP THE PRESIDENT.

The senate of the United States, after an avalanche of unnecessary oratory, finally endorsed the peace proposal of President Wilson. The vote was forty-eight for and seventeen against. Ten republican senators—real progressives—voted with the democrats, thus assisting in taking the greatest question of the day out of party politics, so far as this republic is concerned.

It was deplorably unfortunate that the republicans should have made a party issue of the peace question. It does seem that with the exception of that limited coterie of senators who may be in sympathy with the munitions manufacturers, every member of the great American forum could very conscientiously have gone on record as favoring any honorable effort that was intended to terminate the war. Especially so in view of the constant menace of the United States becoming involved in the European struggle. Self interest, as well as patriotism and humanitarianism demanded that President Wilson's hands be upheld, and the reluctance of the "stand pat" republicans to accord this support is to their discredit.

## L. &amp; N. ACCUSED OF TAKING COAL

## RAILROAD DECLARED TO THREATEN TO WITHHOLD CARS TO FORCE SALES.

(International News Service.)  
Washington, Jan. 8.—Charges that the L. & N. forced the coal operators to sell their products to it at \$1.10, through threats of withholding cars, were filed with the interstate commerce commission today by the Southern Appalachian Operators Association. Relief is asked.

## THREE KILLED BY TRAIN EXPLOSION

## WALTON COMMITTED SUICIDE FOR LIFE INSURANCE DETECTIVES ALLEGE TODAY.

(International News Service.)  
Birmingham, Jan. 8.—It was regarded certain Monday that the death toll on the Birmingham special from Washington Saturday night would be confined to three persons, J. D. Oliver and J. S. Shelton, Atlanta, and Walton were killed.  
Detectives cling to the theory that Louis Walton suicided by exploding dynamite in the coach of the train for the alleged purpose of diverting \$20,000 life insurance to his widow. Mrs. Walton gave out a statement today marking as absurd the idea that her husband had committed suicide.

## Lee Wade is Fined On Chicken Theft Charge

Lee Wade, negro, was fined in Decatur police court this morning on a charge of stealing chickens. The fowls were recovered. The negro was one of a number appearing before Mayor Nelson this morning. A total of \$191.80 was assessed.

## Dillehay's Successor to Be Named Tonight

A successor to A. C. Dillehay, new president of the Albany city council, will be named tonight. President Dillehay was elected presiding officer of the aldermanic board last Tuesday night, succeeding John Patterson, resigned.

It was stated today that there is a possibility a petition will be presented to the council tonight, asking for a pavement on Fifth avenue, west, north of Moulton street.

We do any kind of Job Printing and do it quick.

## Photo's of Local Club Women Are in the News

Photographs of three local club women and a large amount of space devoted to local club work, appeared on the Alabama Federation page in the Sunday Birmingham News. They were Mrs. John D. Wyker, chairman of this district; Mrs. D. D. McGehee, secretary, and Mrs. L. A. Nell, correspondent. Articles were contributed by prominent club women regarding the work of the Berean and Music Study organizations and the Benevolent hospital.

## Horace A. Adams to Head State Electors

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 8.—(Special)  
Horace A. Adams, of Birmingham, was elected chairman of the Alabama electors today, Major Francis, of Decatur, withdrawing on the tenth ballot, making the election on acclamation.

## "GO ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS"

Remarkable and Appropriate Inscription Appears on the Old Temple Clock in London.

The old Temple clock in London bears a curious inscription, the origin of which is ascribed to a chance remark.

Some 200 years ago a master workman was employed to repair and put in a new face on the clock. When his work was nearly done he asked the benchmen for an appropriate motto to carve upon the base. They promised to think of one. Week after week he came for their decision, but was put off. One day he found them at dinner in copious.

"What motto shall I put on the clock, your lordship?" he asked of a judge.

"Oh, go about your business!" his honor cried, angrily.

"And very suitable for a lazy, dawdling fellow!" the clock-maker is said to have muttered as he retreated. It is certain that he carved "Go about your business" on the base.

The lawyers decided that no better warning could be given them at any hour of the day, and there the inscription still remains.

## Old Trick Didn't Work.

The fiction of the friend who is going to occupy the seat in the railway train that one has really secured as an extra for oneself sometimes works and sometimes doesn't. A passenger hurrying along the platform, just before the train started, flung himself upon a seat that was already occupied by a large bag.

"That seat is taken," snapped a morose old gentleman; "my friend has kept it with his bag."

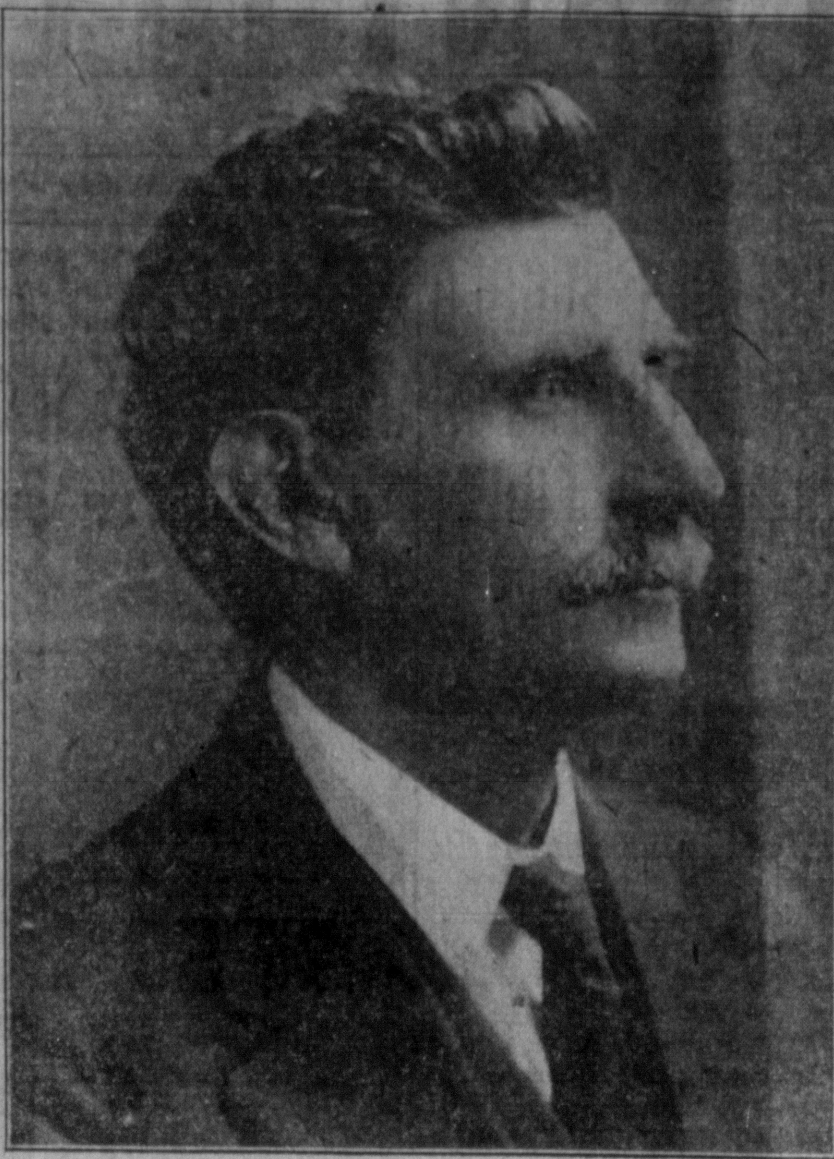
"Indeed," said the wily passenger affably; "then I'll occupy it till he comes."

Of course the friend never came, and therefore, just as the train was moving out of the station the wily passenger seized the bag and deliberately threw it out of the window.

"What are you doing with that bag, sir?" thundered the old gentleman, furiously.

"Anything the matter?" inquired the other, calmly. "You don't want your friend to lose his bag, do you?"

## New Pastor of Central Methodist



Dr. J. C. Persinger former superintendent of the Alabama Anti-Saloon League, who is preaching to large audiences at the Central Methodist church, of which he recently became pastor.

## Official Table

Averages of the Sunday Schools of Albany and Decatur  
This report will be published each week:

Sunday, Jan. 7, 1917

SCHOOL	Total Enroll	No. Present	Per Ct. School
First Baptist, Decatur.....	125	97	776
Central Baptist, Albany.....	278	176	633
Baptist South Albany.....	190	153	805
Baptist, East Albany.....	168	124	732
First Christian, Albany.....	82	71	865
First Methodist, Decatur.....	298	168	567
Central Methodist, Albany.....	435	327	751
Ninth Street Methodist, South Albany.....	146	136	938
First Presbyterian, Decatur.....	110	77	700
West Side Presbyterian West Albany.....	110	60	545
Westminster Presb't'n, Albany.....	140	140	1000
Willoughby Presbyterian, South Albany.....	132	107	810
St. John Episcopalian.....	70	45	642
Salvation Army Decatur-Albany.....			
Jackson St. Church of Christ.....	95	75	789
Berean Sunday-School.....			
Fairview Baptist S. S. School.....			
Austinville Baptist.....			

One of the above schools employs automobiles to transport its remotely located students to and from school

## Announcement

This is to announce that E. R. GUY & COMPANY has succeeded the LAMPKIN INSURANCE & REALTY COMPANY: our new offices are in the OLSHINE BUILDING, DECATUR, ALABAMA. With our facilities being greatly increased, we are prepared to give to the public the best service and rates on all lines of insurance in the leading companies.

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In addition to being fully prepared to handle the above lines, we have money to loan on city and country property; also a big list of Real Estate and Rental property to select from. Would be glad to have all interested to call at our new offices and talk over such matters.

Wishing you a prosperous New Year.

Yours truly,

E. R. GUY & COMPANY

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## WANTS

HELP WANTED, REAL ESTATE and HOMES FOR SALE, LOST or FOUND, LOANS ETC. All Want Ads Cash in Advance.

No advertisement taken for less than 25 cents  
25 words, 1 day..... 25c  
25 words, 3 days..... 50c  
25 words, 1 week..... \$1.00  
25 words, 1 mo..... \$3.00  
50 words, 1 day..... 50c  
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50 words, 1 week..... \$1.75  
50 words, 1 mo..... \$5.00

FOR SALE OR RENT—Reasonably good farm, 123 acres, 100 acres under cultivation, two horses and two good wells; never a mile from town on Greenville pike. One new heavy one-horse-draw and one new delivery wagon for sale or rent. Apply to W. T. Aycock, Phone Decatur 41, or Albany 290, Decatur, Ala.

We are PREPARED to make desirable FARM LOANS in amounts above \$5,000 in MORGAN, LIMESTONE, and LAWRENCE counties at an average rate of 7%; there are NO COSTS in addition to this rate, such as commission, recording, application or inspection fees. W. A. Bibb & Son, Phone 328, Albany, Ala. 5-6t

\$10.00 REWARD will be paid for the recovery of a heavy gold bar pin on which was fastened a horseshoe studded with diamonds. The pin was lost Sunday afternoon on either Eighth avenue, east, Grant street or Riverview avenue, between Grant street and the river. Bring the pin to the Daily office or to 907 Eighth avenue, east.

\$100,000—To loan in \$500, \$750, \$500 and up to \$10,000 at 7 percent interest on Decatur-Albany and North Alabama farm property for five years, with privilege of renewal. Jan. 4 to 19. J. A. Thornhill.

MULE FOR SALE—In good condition; will sell for cash or on full terms to party able to secure purchase price. Decatur Fertilizer Co., Decatur, Ala. 8-3t

L. M. Aday and H. L. McCullough have purchased a short-horn registered Durham bull, which can be seen at McCullough's barn, Albany, Route 2. 6-3t

WANTED—Agent to write insurance for the American National Insurance Co. of Galveston, Texas, the giant of the Southwest; good contract now open. Apply at office over Central National Bank, room No. 9. J. M. Thompson, agent. 6-3t

FOR SALE—Ten shares of stock in Central National Bank. Also residence No. 418 Johnston street. W. G. Henry, Jackson, Miss. 6-3t

FOR SALE—New 5-room house, east front; bath and lights, in excellent neighborhood, near school and churches. Price \$1,300; good terms. Thornhill & Hutson. 6-3t

FOR SALE—A good second-hand piano at a bargain. See J. L. Echols. 6-3t

LOST—White fox terrier, about ten months old, marked with large brown spots on head and body, long tail and ears. Return to Barrett Shelton, Albany-Decatur Daily, and collect reward that awaits you on information that leads to return of animal. 30-tf

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**NOTICE.** Bankrupt Sale of Drugs and Druggist Sundries. In re C. W. Bethany, Bankrupt.

On Saturday, January, the 13th, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., by order of the Referee in Bankruptcy for the Northeastern Division of the Northern District of Alabama, I will sell in front of Dillehay, Putnam & Co. store on Fourth avenue, south, in Albany, Alabama, at auction, to the highest bidder for cash, one small iron safe, one small cash register, one ceiling fan and the remnant of a stock of drugs and druggist sundries, all the property of the estate of the bankrupt, C. W. Bethany.

SAMUEL BLACKWELL, Trustee. In the matter of the estate of J. L. A. the bankrupt, C. W. Bethany.

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## MADE FROM LEMON GRASS

Valuable Oil That Contains an Extraordinarily Large Amount of Citral Comes From India.

There is a valuable oil made from lemon grass. Its chief commercial center is Trivandrum, in Travancore, a state in southern India. Obscurity prevails as to the botanical sources of eastern Indian lemon grass oils, but they are generally stated to be derived from Cymbopogon citratus and Cymbopogon flexuosus. The former is a native of Bafni and is largely cultivated all over India, but the oil distilled in the Malabar coast is derived principally from Cymbopogon flexuosus. This plant grows plentifully in Travancore, especially on the slopes of the mountains to the north of Anjengo. The hillsides are said to be fired in January to burn down the old and useless grass. Six months later the fresh crop is ready to be cut. By that time the countryside is dotted all over with furnaces and stills. During July, August, September and October operations are continually maintained, but there would appear to be no second crop. In a few cases Europeans have established distilleries on an improved plan.

The Molpas (native gatherers) are said to recognize 27 forms of the wild plant, of which five only are of commercial value and one is cultivated and never flowers. The most interesting feature of the lemon grass oil is the large percentage of citral that it contains. This has been variously stated at 70 to 80 per cent, and inferior or adulterated samples 40 to 50 per cent. It is employed in the manufacture of artificial perfumes, such as the violet, known as Ionone, and like all the grass oils is utilized mainly in perfuming soaps. An important use to which it is applied in the United States is in the preparation of furniture polish. The production of lemon grass oil in South India on a commercial scale is an industry of comparatively recent growth.

## THEATER PARTY GIVES JOY

Not Always to the Participants, but to Those Who Can Smile at Others' Foolishness.

A theater party is a group composed of two types of people—those who have seen the play an absurd number of times and those who would give anything not to see it. The performance selected is usually a musical comedy. This has come to mean nowadays an entertainment having no music and which is not comic. The chief characteristics of a theater party are two suffering chaperons, one of either sex; a number of young ladies who constantly interrupt the dialogue of the play and an equal number of young men, some of whom read the programs, yawn or sleep, while others flirt with the chorus.

When attending a musical show it is foolish to keep time with the orchestra by tapping smartly the back of the seat in front of you. Frequently many of the party have seen the performance before and know the music fairly well. It is de rigueur in this case to join in the choruses of the various songs and effectually drown the voices of the actors.—Life.

**Oil Is King.** The European war is without a doubt doing more to direct general attention to the claims of oil and its multitudinous products than any amount of advertising in normal times could have accomplished.

The great clash of arms on the continent has from its commencement shown that the necessity for the products of petroleum in up-to-date warfare is no less than in either the industrial circles or in domestic life. We are today as much dependent upon the refined products of crude oil as we are upon wheat and other necessities of life, and as time goes on, and the uses which are constantly being found for petroleum multiply, our dependency upon oil becomes the greater. It is no surprise, therefore, to find that not only are petroleum products generally commanding greater attention than they ever before did, but that a particular healthy atmosphere permeates those enterprises which have laid themselves out—and successfully so—to engage in the production, the refining, the transport, or the distribution of petroleum products. There is, in short, no mistaking the fact that in the future, oil will be king.—Petroleum Review.

**Unexplored Land in Canada.** Within the borders of Ontario are three tracts of 6,000 to 8,000 square miles each that no white man has ever explored. It is estimated that east of Reindeer lake and Kasar river is a region of 73,000 square miles area, larger than New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Massachusetts combined, which is yet to be explored. Altogether there is an aggregate of 901,000 square miles of country which should be represented on the map by whiteness, and this calculation does not include unexplored areas of less than four thousand square miles.

**Production of Rubber.** The world's production of rubber has doubled in eight years, according to figures presented by Henry Jumelle in a bulletin of the Colonial Institute of Marseille. In 1915 the production was 146,000 tons, against 108,500 in 1914 and 115,000 in 1913. And this in spite of the fact that Germany and Austria were able to import none at all in 1915. The greatest relative increase is in Malaysia.

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## ANNUAL JANUARY LINEN SHOWER FOR THE HOSPITAL.

The annual January linen shower for the Benevolent hospital will be held soon at the residence of Mrs. W. R. Smith.

## MRS. W. B. ROBERTSON A ROOK HOSTESS TUESDAY AT TWO O'CLOCK.

At 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. W. B. Robertson will be hostess to the West Side Rook club.

Mrs. Stanley, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., is the guest of her brother, E. C. Payne.

## U. D. C.

Mrs. W. J. Garnett is to be hostess to the United Daughters of the Confederacy Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Adorning the columns of the pages of the Birmingham News of Sunday that were devoted to the State Federated Clubs were pictures of Mrs. Jno. D. Wyker, Mrs. D. D. McGehee and Mrs. L. A. Neill.

The Westminster Presbyterian Sunday school workers' meeting will be held at the manse Tuesday evening at 7:30. Plans for the year are to be discussed, so it is important for every officer and teacher to be present.

At the service of the First M. E. church last evening was the installation of the officers of the Woman's Missionary Society. These missionary societies are such a stay to any church that Dr. Stevenson felt that the church generally should know its executive board.

Miss Helen Stone, of Birmingham, was the guest of Miss Mary Lee Skeggs Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Wood has been called to Lawrence county by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Anne Pitt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williams spent the week-end with relatives at Danville.

Miss Annie Buis has returned to Birmingham.

Miss Kate Berry, of Durant, Okla., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Gray.

## DADDY COULDN'T GET AWAY

Friend Had to Admire the Baby, Not Knowing Mother Was Waiting in the Street.

He is a pretty nice baby boy, and the parents, particularly daddy, are proud of Billy. The three of them were on a Central avenue car, on their way downtown, daddy and Billy occupying one seat; the mother another not far away. Billy was attracting considerable attention from the passengers, which kept daddy smiling benignly and quite occupied with his heir. He did not seem to realize that he would finally reach the street at which he was to alight, but became suddenly aware of the fact when he noticed the car had stopped and he saw his wife leaving the car at the front door.

Passengers enjoyed his hasty grab of Billy, with a view to making exit, but before he could get away a man he knew entered the car and, not knowing of the father's intentions, blocked the seat while he chuckled the baby under the chin, told the father what a fine boy he had, etc. In the meantime the passengers continued to be amused, but this time at the father, the mother in the meantime standing in the street.

The conductor doubtless thought of many things he could say, but laughter got the best of him, and with the belated theatergoers, he waited good-naturedly for the excited parent to break away and let the car proceed.—Indianapolis News.

## DECEPTION THAT IS COMMON

Nations Affected in Peculiar Way by What May Be Called the Supreme Law of Irony.

The Christian nations offer many illustrations of the law of irony. They profess the citizenship of heaven, the exclusive worship of eternal good; and never has the hungry pursuit of perishable joys, the love of this world, or the thirst for conquest been stronger or more active than among these nations. Their official motto is exactly the reverse of their real aspiration. Under a false flag they play the smuggler with a droll case of conscience.

Is the fraud a conscious one? No—it is but an application of the law of irony. The deception is so common that the delinquent becomes unconscious of it. Every nation gives itself the lie in the course of its daily life, and not one feels the ridicule of its position. A man must be a Japanese to perceive the burlesque contradictions of the Christian civilization. He must be a native of the moon to understand the stupidity of man, and his state of constant delusion.—From "The Law of Irony" by Henry Frederic Amiel.

## Tumulty Tell Committee Knows Nothing "Leak"

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of the note to the chief of the index bureau. About 8 o'clock that night the note was completed and at 2:30 o'clock next morning it was given to the telegraphers. It was decided to make the note public Thursday morning, giving it two days to reach the far-away countries, Roumania and Austria.

Secretary of State Lansing followed Mr. Tumulty to the stand and told the investigating committee in detail the extraordinary steps taken by the state department to prevent any information of President Wilson's peace move intention to leak out before the text of his message to the belligerents was made public. A hush fell over the large assembly as the secretary of state moved to the stand, and he was followed to the stand by Thos. W. Lawson.

Mr. Tumulty said he was authorized to quote President Wilson as follows: "I wish in justice to Mr. Tumulty to say he has stated the exact facts. He had no knowledge of the note whatever until it was given for publication." Mr. Tumulty said he was still waiting for Representative Wood's apology.

"Can you give us the name of anyone who profited by the leak?" asked Chairman Henry.

"Did you say can or will," inquired Lawson.

"I said can," responded Henry. "I can, but won't, I might have profited myself."

"Have you any information a legal or any other way that would connect anyone at the White House with this leak?" inquired Henry.

Lawson paused for a moment and slowly replied: "No not in a legal way."

## Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall Thirty Years Married

The Chattanooga News, in its "Looking Backward in Chattanooga" column, in which is reproduced articles appearing thirty years ago, Saturday printed the following which is of interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall:

The marriage of Mr. Will R. Hall and Miss Addie Woodward took place at St. Paul's Episcopal church yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. George W. Dumbell performed the beautiful ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Hall left on the 10:30 train for Washington and New York. Mr. Hall is a member of the real estate firm of Glover & Hall.

**Tales of Birds.** The hairy woodpecker, says American Forestry of Washington, D. C., likes fat pork, while a tree sparrow just dotes on dog biscuit. Bread and milk are the favorite dish of the mocking bird.

## PERSONALS

W. L. Crout, of Atlanta, cashier of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, was here today on business.

Rev. E. Fulmer, pastor of the Courtland Methodist church, was here today, the guest of Dr. J. C. Persinger.

Dr. T. A. McAmis, of Lamar, Miss., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Samuel Blackwell.

Charlie Malone, Jr., who underwent an operation on his throat about ten days ago, has sufficiently recovered to return to school this morning.

W. W. Rahm is visiting relatives at Lynchfield, Ky.

James Johnston and Joe Woods spent Sunday in Tusculum, the guest of friends.

Edwin and Dewoody Wilkinson spent Sunday in Madison, the guests of their sister, Mrs. Russell.

Harry Pride visited relatives in Madison Sunday.

Samuel Spielberger went to Birmingham Sunday to spend the day with relatives.

Harold Gray spent the week-end with Lawrence county friends.

W. O. Le Compt, of Nashville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Odum Sunday.

## Circuit Court to Convene Here Today

The Morgan county circuit court will convene at 1 o'clock this afternoon, Judge Robert C. Brickell presiding. One of the heaviest dockets in years will be disposed of during the four weeks term.

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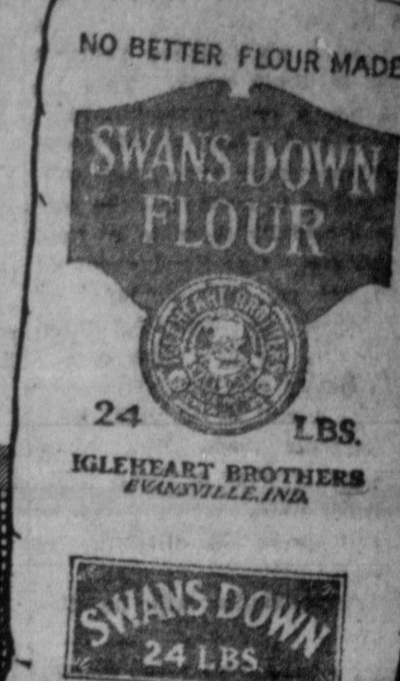
IN our sunny, modern new plant the wheat is brushed and scoured, ground, purified and sifted—again and again—through the finest meshes of silk, till just the softest, lightest and richest of wheat flour is milled and put on the market.

## Make Today's Biscuits With It

Swans Down will set a new standard in every woman's baking of bread, cakes, pies, biscuits and other good things to eat, for its use will assure a dependable delicacy of flavor and lightness. Biscuits of Swans Down have a wonderful flaky, silky crumb.

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RESOURCES	LIABILITIES.
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Overdrafts.....15.96	Surplus and Profits.....52,181.27
U. S. Bonds.....50,000.00	Semi-Annual Dividend No. 28.....4,000.00
Alabama Bonds.....5,000.00	Reserved for Interest.....641.81
Fed. Reserve Bank Stock...3,600.00	Circulation.....50,000.00
Revenue Stamps.....37.26	Deposits.....459,296.01
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## S. S. INSTITUTE OPENS WEDNESDAY

PRESIDENT ANDREW G. PATTERSON APPEALS FOR CO-OPERATION FROM BIBLE STUDENTS

Six Sunday school experts will open an institute at the Central Methodist church Wednesday, under the auspices of the Alabama Sunday School Association.

A. G. Patterson, prominent Sunday school worker, today issued the following appeal for co-operation to make the institute a success:

To the Sunday School Officers and Teachers of Albany-Decatur:

The Sunday School Institute to be conducted by prominent state workers at Central M. E. church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week affords an excellent opportunity to the Sunday school officers and teachers of these cities to improve their efficiency and secure valuable assistance in their work. This institute is not a money raising campaign, but a real school of efficiency, and I most earnestly urge every officer and teacher to attend all the sessions, but especially those to be held in the evenings. Our Sunday school people do not as a rule manifest enough interest in these federated movements and thereby lose opportunities to secure the latest approved methods which will be of great help to them in their work. Let every Sunday school worker in these cities attend this institute.

A. G. PATTERSON.

The following topics will be discussed.

1. County Officers Training School (first morning, first afternoon, second morning).
2. Departmental Conferences for elementary workers, teen-age workers, adult workers, superintendents (second afternoon, third morning, third afternoon).
3. Community Study Circles Organized. (For advanced specialization. Third afternoon).
4. O. A. B. C. Rally for Men (first night).
5. O. A. B. C. Rally for Women. (Second night).
6. Popular Mass Meeting. (Third night).
7. Personal Conferences. LEON C. PALMER, General Secretary, Alabama S. S. Association. MRS. S. P. MOORE

## PEACE OF SOUL IS ATTAINED THROUGH

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he ate before he sank to sleep. Oh, how sin has separated men from friends and made them carry their burdens alone.

"While this fugitive slept a strange thing occurred—a ladder reaching from earth to heaven, with angels ascending and descending upon it, while the Lord stood above and spoke to him. Jacob, like others, had thought of God as a local being apart from himself—but now he awoke to find that he cannot get away from God.

**The Pastor's Word of Admonition.**  
"If people would only remember this fact, if only they would remember this, that they cannot get away from sins by running or hiding—that they cannot escape God and conscience, if they would remember there is but one way, viz: Repentance and erecting an altar in their hearts and lives on which to offer true service to God. It is only in this way that you can cease to be a fugitive from justice. The world may not know your sin, but you know it and God knows it and you cannot otherwise escape it. Make things right with Him and you shall find peace to your soul."

## Couple is Married by Judge Skeggs Sunday

Miss Fleta M. Phillips and Andrew Zanvit, popular young couple of Albany, were married by Probate Judge William E. Skeggs at his home on Johnston street Sunday night.

Other marriage licenses issued by the probate court follow:  
J. W. Nix to Miss Maggie McMillen.  
W. F. Price to Miss Alma McGlawn.

Field Secretary  
Alabama Sunday School Association  
MISS FRED A. BOSE  
Secondary Division Superintendent  
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MR. J. O. WEBB  
Field Secretary  
Alabama Sunday School Association  
MISS LELAND COOPER  
Elementary Division Superintendent  
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MISS MINNIE ALLGOOD  
Field Secretary  
Alabama Sunday School Association

## TEACHING INDIAN TO MAKE LIVING

Uncle Sam Plans to Make Red Man Useful Citizen.

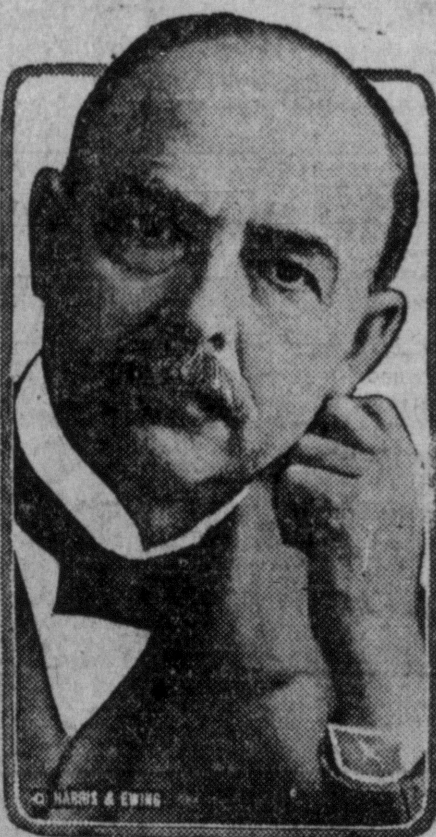
## PRACTICAL TRAINING GIVEN

Vocational Schools Established to Make Young Wards of Government Efficient in Various Industrial Pursuits.

To make the red man a productive citizen, prepared to take his place in the industrial and commercial life of the nation is the object of the vocational training which has been introduced by Uncle Sam into all the Indian schools of the country. The children of the original Americans are now being given the benefit of what government officials believe to be the best vocational training offered by any school system in the United States.

The new system of training for Uncle Sam's young girls is being developed under the supervision of Cato Sells, head of the bureau of Indian affairs of the department of the interior. Mr. Sells is giving much attention to this feature of the bureau's work and is confident that it will produce very beneficial results.

**Given Practical Training.**  
The system, recently devised, is divided into three divisions. The first is the beginning stage, the second the finding stage and the third the finishing stage. During the first and second periods the training is domestic and industrial activities center around the conditions essential to the improvement and proper maintenance of the home and farm. The course outlined in the pre-vocational division is unique in the fact that in addition to the regu-



Cato Sells.

lar academic subjects boys are required to take practical courses in farming, gardening, dairying, farm carpentry, farm blacksmithing, farm engineering, farm masonry, farm painting and shoe and harness repairing, and all girls are required to take courses in home cooking, sewing, laundering, nursing, poultry raising and kitchen gardening.

This course not only prepares the Indian youth for industrial efficiency, but at the same time helps them to find those activities for which they are best adapted and to which they should apply themselves definitely during the vocational period, the character and amount of academic work being determined by its relative value and importance as a means of solving the problems of the farmer, mechanic and housewife.

**Nonessentials Eliminated.**  
Nonessentials are eliminated. One-half of each day is given to industrial training and the other half to academic studies. All effort is directed toward training Indian boys and girls for efficient and useful lives under the conditions which they must meet after leaving school. Other subjects to which this course directs special attention are health, motherhood and child welfare, civics, community meetings and extension work.

After their long course of search, the experts of the Indian office who have been in the closest touch with this work say that they came to the conclusion that the economic needs of all people—and of the Indian especially—demand that the schools provide for instruction along eminently practical lines. To this end the industrial schools were established, in which the culture value of education is not neglected, but rather subordinated to the practical needs of the child's environment.

In the first or primary period, spoken of before, the Indian child goes into what is to him a strange land with a strange tongue, strange habits, customs and standards. He is lacking that five years or so of fundamental home education which most white children receive in our American ways of thinking, doing and living. Officials of the Indian office are much pleased with the way their new method is working out.

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## WHERE PERSIANS TAKE REST

Ten Garden Beside Dusty Road That May Easily Be a Thousand or More Years Old.

The road and the river part company at the tip of the tea garden. A sort of widening green island is there, between a crook of the stream and a wall of bowlders that would not be Persian if it were perfectly straight. Yet the tall poplars of the garden would not be Persian if they were not planted in perfectly straight lines. Transversely or obliquely, however, the trees keep to one another no such relation as they might in the West. They stand very close together, making privacy between aisle and aisle. This is the quieter and roomier part of the tea garden, where men come to enjoy the leisure of the East. A boy brings them a rug, a samovar, a jug of water and some tiny tea glasses and there underneath the bough they sit hour after hour. They generally escape my prying eye, I notice, by eschewing the neighborhood of the wall. I do not blame them, for the road on the outer side of that low wall is fabulously dusty. Who knows how many thousands of years people have passed that way between the city and a certain happy valley in the mountain—Darius, Xerxes the Great, kings, the horsemen and peasants of today, strollers from afar, like Alexander of Macedon or me, jingling mules, dejected donkeys, flocks and herds that late in the afternoon or early in the morning move to and from the town, as it were in a pillar of cloud?—H. G. DWIGHT in the Century.

**His Excellent Memory.**  
"When were you married?"  
"Well," replied Mr. Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, "I disrecollect perselzy what year it was, but I know it happened on the Fourth of July or Christmas, or some su— Kansas City Star."

## 8-HOUR LAW HEARD BY SUPREME COURT

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law are not arbitrary; 7, the act is workable; 8, the penalties provided by the law are not excessive.

The brief sets forth "the history of the movement for an 8-hour day" and which had its beginning many years ago. It shows that it came as the culmination of the earnest and insistent demands of the railroad employees for shorter hours. It showed that it is aimed primarily at reduction of hours and not increase of wages.

## Smallpox Victim Breaks Away and Walks the Street

The Decatur police are looking for a negro said to be suffering from smallpox. In fact they looked for him all last night, with the aid of two friends who knew him, but apparently the victim of the dreaded malady had disappeared.

The negro was quarantined late yesterday afternoon by the city officials, but, according to Mayor James A. Nelson, he escaped from the confinement the municipality had placed upon him and was last seen calmly walking the street.

The police were notified immediately and began the search.

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## Several Suits Filed in the Circuit Court

Several minor suits were filed in the Morgan county circuit court during the week-end. They follow:

Lucy Hartselle vs. A. Polytinsky, on account, jury trial demanded.  
C. S. Chenault vs. J. W. Emens, Charles Emens and Emens & Company, suit of trover.  
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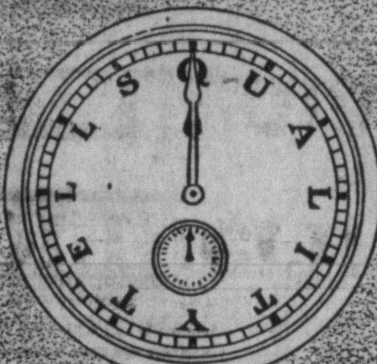
## NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

State of Alabama, Morgan County. Probate Court, January 1, 1917. Estate of Charles F. King, Deceased. Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that George M. Jones, as administrator of the estate of Charles F. King, deceased, has filed his accounts and vouchers for the final settlement of his administration of said estate and that the 29th day of January, 1917, has been set as the day for hearing such settlement, at which time you can appear and contest said settlement.


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